EARL L. TABRON, JR.

Plaintiff

 $\mathbf{v}_{\cdot}$ 

No.: 02-CV-2695

JURY TRIAL DEMANDED

RADIOSHACK, JOHN V. ROACH, GEORGE KUNNEY AND DARRYL J. FERRARA

Defendants

### **ORDER**

AND NOW, this day of , 2003, upon considerati	ion of defendant
George Kuney's Motion to Dismiss Plaintiff's Complaint for Failure to Comply Wi	ith Discovery and
This Court's July 24, 2003 Order, and any response thereto, it is hereby ORDERED	and DECREED
that said Motion is GRANTED. Plaintiff's Complaint is hereby dismissed with p	orejudice.
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### GEORGE KUNEY'S MOTION TO DISMISS PLAINTIFF'S COMPLAINT FOR FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH DISCOVERY AND THE COURT'S JULY 24, 2003 ORDER

Defendant, George Kuney, incorrectly designated as George Kunney, through his attorneys, Bennett, Bricklin & Saltzburg, LLP, hereby move this Honorable Court for an Order dismissing plaintiff's complaint with prejudice, pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. Pro. 37(b)(2)(C) and in support thereof defendant avers as follows:

- Plaintiff commenced the instant civil action alleging employment discrimination by filing a civil action in the Federal District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania on May 6, 2002.
- 2. On or about April 22, 2003, counsel for the defendant served upon plaintiff's then attorney, Wendell Cooper-Porter, Interrogatories and Requests for Production of Documents directed to plaintiff pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. Pro. 33 and 34.
- 3. By Order dated April 30, 2003, this Honorable Court granted plaintiff's counsel's motion to withdraw from this action.
  - 4. No other counsel has entered an appearance for plaintiff and plaintiff has not provided

self executing disclosures or responses to any of defendants' written discovery.

- 5. Discovery is scheduled to end on September 30, 2003.
- 6. On June 16, 2003, the undersigned sent a letter to plaintiff at his home address, return receipt requested, providing another copy of the written discovery requests and again requesting responses to the outstanding discovery. See Exhibit "A." There was no reply.
  - 7. Moving defendant filed a motion to compel on June 26, 2003.
- 8. Co-defendants RadioShack and John V. Roach also filed motions to compel on June 27, 2003.
- 9. On July 24, 2003, this Honorable Court signed an Order compelling plaintiff to provide self executing disclosures and respond to defendant's written discovery requests by August 7, 2003, or risk dismissal of his Complaint. See Exhibit "B."
- 10. Plaintiff has failed to provide the discovery as ordered and has made no contact with the undersigned or with any of the defendants.
- 1. Plaintiff has not complied with the Court's Order, nor has he opposed or challenged the Order in any way.
- 12. Plaintiff has apparently abandoned his cause of action and defendants should not be compelled to continue to expend time and expense defending against it.
- 13. George Kuney will be prejudiced if plaintiff is allowed to ignore this Court's Orders and refuse to provide self executing disclosures and responses to discovery.

WHEREFORE, defendant, George Kuney, respectfully requests that this Honorable Court dismiss plaintiff's Complaint with prejudice.

### BENNETT, BRICKLIN & SALTZBURG LLP

By:		
•	Daniel C. Moraglia, Esquire	
	Attorney for Defendant, George Kuney	

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#### **VERIFICATION**

I, Daniel C. Moraglia, Esquire, hereby verify that I am attorney for defendant, George Kuney, and that the facts set forth in the foregoing Motion to Dismiss are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief. I understand that false statements herein made are subject to the penalties of 18 Pa. C.S. Section 4904 relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.

Daniel C. Moraglia, Esquire

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Daniel C. Moraglia, Esquire, hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing motion to dismiss has been filed and served this date upon all interested counsel by way of United States Regular First Class Mail, postage prepaid, addressed as follows:

Mr. Earl L. Tabron, Jr. 7329 Ogontz Avenue Philadelphia, PA 19138 Pro Se

David A. Rapuano, Esquire Archer & Greiner, P.C. One South Broad Street, Suite 1620 Philadelphia, PA 19107 Attorney for RadioShack

Michael W. Herbert, Esquire 22 Chambers Street Princeton, NJ 08542 Attorney for Darryl J. Ferrara

BENNETT, BRICKLIN & SALTZBURG, LLP

BY:	
	Daniel C. Moraglia, Esquire
	Attorney for Defendant, George Kuney

DATE	•

**EXHIBIT "A"** 

### BENNETT, BRICKLIN & SALTZBURG LLP

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June 16, 2003

### VIA CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

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WRITER'S DIRECT DIAL: (215) 665-3366 WRITER'S EMAIL: moraglia@bbs-law.com

Mr. Earl L. Tabron, Jr., Pro Se 7329 Ogontz Avenue Philadelphia, PA 19138

Re: Earl L. Tabron, Jr.

vs. RadioShack, John V. Roach,

George Kunney And Darryl J. Ferrara

Our File No.: 90799

#### Dear Mr. Tabron:

On April 22, 2003, I sent to your then attorney, Windelle Cooper-Porter George Kuney's initial disclosures pursuant to Rule 26 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure as well as a set of interrogatories and request for production of documents directed to you which you are required to respond to pursuant to Rules 33 and 34 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

It is my understanding that Ms. Cooper-Porter is no longer your attorney. However, it is still your responsibility to provide your initial disclosures as well as responses to our written discovery. To date, we have not received your initial disclosures or responses to our discovery which are now long overdue. If we do not receive your initial disclosures and responses to written discovery by June 23, 2003, we will file a motion to compel with the court and will seek reimbursement for the cost associated with the filing of the motion. I enclose another set of our written discovery requests for your convenience.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

DCM/rdt-Encl.

Daniel C. Moraglia

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**EXHIBIT "B"** 

EARL L. TABRON, JR.,

**CIVIL ACTION** 

Plaintiff,

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NO. 02-2695

RADIO SHACK, JOHN V. ROACH, GEORGE KUNNEY and DARRYL J. FERRARA,

Defendants.

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#### **ORDER**

AND NOW, this 24<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2003, upon consideration of the motion of defendant George Kuney to compel plaintiff to respond to discovery (Docket No. 15), it is hereby ORDERED as follows:

- On or before August 7, 2003, plaintiff Earl L. Tabron, Jr. shall respond completely to defendant George Kuney's interrogatories, said defendant's request for production of documents, and provide self executing disclosures to defendant.
- 2. Failure to respond as directed may result in the imposition of sanctions upon application to this court which may involve dismissal of the complaint.

BY THE COURT:

RONALD L. BUCKWALTER, J.

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